



# HERE'S HOW TO USE YOUR ESTES CATALOG.

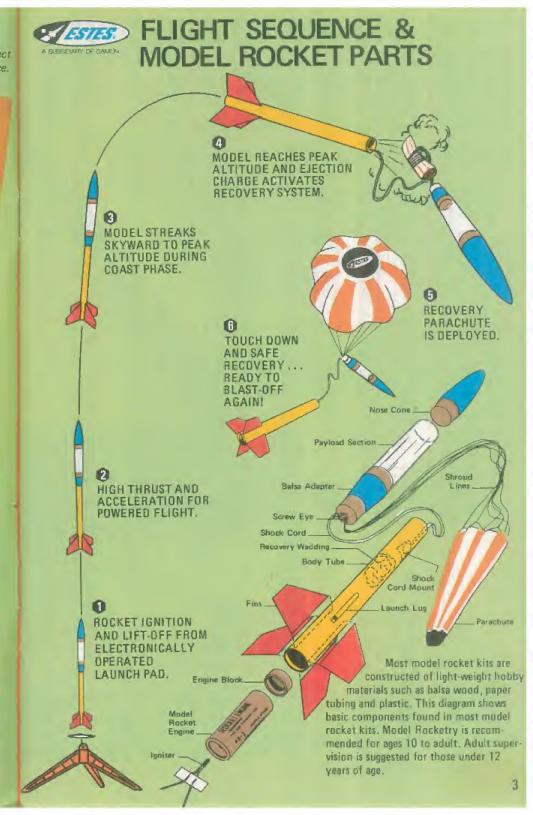
- 1) Name of the kit.
- 2 Skill Level number recommends the general skill and experience necessary for a rocketeer to successfully complete the kit. Skill Level 1 kits are suggested for beginners, Skill Level 2 for intermediate rocketeers, and so on to Skill Level 5, Expert Rocketeer,
- 3 Special features and additional kit information.
- Specifications including length, diameter, and weight, in both English and Metric Equivalents, plus shipping weight for the kit.
- 6 Recommended engines for flying the rocket. Engines are listed from least powerful to most powerful. Also, indicates which engine should be used for the first flight.
- 6 Catalog number for kit which should always be used when ordering.
- 7 Price of the kit.
- The background color on each page reflects the appropriate Skill Level color for the kits shown. (See chart below) All kits in this catalog are grouped by Skill Level

# All prices in this catalog are subject to change without notice.

# SKILL LEVELS

All model rocket kits in this catalog require assembly unless otherwise indicated. Some of these flying model rockets can be put together and be ready to launch in minutes. Others with their sophisticated aerodynamics and wealth of detail are more challenging. The Skill Level numbers given in each kit description recommend the skills and experience necessary for a rocketeer to successfully complete the kit. Generally speaking, it is not wise to jump skill levels. Unless you are an extremely experienced modeler, you should complete a kit of Skill Level 1 before attempting Skill Level 2... and you should build a Skill Level 2 rocket before moving on to Skill Level 3... and so on. For further information, refer to the chart below.

Skill Level No.	Description	To Se Built Sy
1	Very Simple	Beginning Rocketeer
2	Fairly Easy	Intermediate Rocketeer
3	Average	Craftsman Rocketeer
4	Challenging	Advanced Rocketeer
5	Extremely Challenging	Expert Rocketeer



# "THIS IS WHERE TO BEGIN" **DELUXE MODEL** ROCKETRY OUTFIT

Virtually everything you need to get started in Estes Model Rocketry in a big way, Includes the "New" Big Flad Max Rocket. . .the all "New" ultra advanced Big Foot Launch Control System. .. Engines. . . Launching Supplies. . and the "Alpha Book of Model Rocketry.

At a moderate price you get prictically everything needed for assembly; lift-oil, and recovery. (Batteries, glue and finishing supplies are not included.) With this outfit you'll be well on your way to discovering the exciting "World of Model Rocketry". Experience the fun of building and the thrill of flying the Big Red Max rocket. This big fund, over two feet long, is easy to assemble with die-out halsa fins, quick-release engine mount, huge plastic nose cone, and "far-out" Red Max decal sheet. Excellent performance with giant 18" orange and white parachute.

"New " Big Foot Launch Control System (page 52) is capable of launching all the rockets in this catalog and is especially recommended for launching the Maxi-Brutes on pages 45, 46, 47, and 48. Futuristically designed launch platform features rugged plastic construction and enormous "two foot print" for maximum launch pad stability. Requires four inexpensive "D" cell batteries for power (not included). Launch pad includes blast deflector plate, 1/B"X36" two-piece launch rod, and adjustable swivel mount to compensate for

(BATTERIES, GLUE, AND FINISHING SUPPLIES NOT INCLUDED.)

# YOUR BIG FOOT LAUNCH CONTROL SYSTEM WILL LAUNCH EVERY ROCKET IN THIS GATALOG!



Launch control unit features quick assembly plus safety key, continuity check light, ignition button and 15 feet of launch cable.

Flight Pak is complete with three high performance, N.A.R. safety-certified engines (two "B" type and one "C" type engines) plus parachute recovery wadding and "Solar" rocket igniters for your first series of exciting flights.

Last, but not least, we have included the "Alpha Book of Model Rocketry" to help teach you the basic principles and techniques you should acquire before moving on to higher Skill Levels and more complex and exciting vehicles.

der Big Red Max Deluxe Model Rocketry Outfit

Cat. No. 1403 Ship wt. 3 lbs.





wind direction.

# THE ALPHA III STARTER KIT

Includes the Space-Age Designed PORTA-PAD and heavy duty SOLAR LAUNCH CONTROLLER!

If you intend to make a real highly of Eines Model Rocketry, this ALPHA III Starter Kit gives you immediate flexibility, because you'll be able to use this lounch system with a standard 1/8" launch rod for most rockess, and the 3/16 maxi-rod for the grant "D" powered flying model rockets like the unbelievable Maxi-Brutes that stand

In addition, the PORTA-PAD lifts to your specificatints giving you the option of distance as well as LAUNCH CONTROL ystem, in that it can be activated by only 4 alkaline AA batteries for power inor included. Advanced shape allows for perfect hand-held control, and unit is easily assembled in minutes.

KIT INCLUDES:

1. ALPHA III Rocket with sunged bright plastic one-piece fin unit and nose cone.

2. Realistic Decal sheet with water toluble decals for easy application.

3. Brightly colored 12" Recovery Pera-

chute with shroud lines and shock cord 4. PORTA-PAD launch platform of heavy duty plastic with strong girder construction, yet easy to disastemble and extremely portable. Features

36" long x 1/8" diameter standard launch rold 5. Blast Deflector Plate

to protect the Parta Pad

THIS KIT-If Sold Separately-Would Cost Approximately \$19.50. YOU SAVE \$5.55

6. SOLAR LAUNCH CONTROLLER, ex-tremely lightweight and futuristically designed, requiring only 4 alkaline AA batteries (not included) for

Parachute Recovery Wad-

8 Solar Igniters.

9. Thige NAR Safety Certified Rocket Engines.

10. Alpha Book of Model Rocketry the complete beginner's tech

Ship wt. 3 lbs. Cat. No. 1406

Only \$13.95

For full description of major, tamis in this kit see: Alpha III (p. 15), Porta-Pad (p. 53), and Solar Launch Controller (p. 53)

Challenger-1
Flying Model Rocketry

This high performance Challenger-1 rocket is very easy-to-Features quick-finish decor with precolored body tube and realistic roll pattern decals. No painting required! This Challenger-1 rocket can be launched over and over again and can attain altitudes over 1,000 feet! Returns via 12" recovery parachute. You need only replace the rocket angine, igniter. and recovery wadding for each new flight.

Challenger-1 Launch Control System features futuristically designed hand-held launch controller with arming lamp, safety key, launch button, and 15 feet of launch cable with micro igniter clips. Plus sleekly designed launch pad with blast de-flector plate and 1/8"X36" two-piece launch rod. Entire system sets up quickly for launch and disassembles easily for compact storage.

Flight Pak includes three N.A.R. safety certified model rocket engines, perachute recovery wadding, and high reliability Solar Igniters for three exciting flights.

Special Bonus - New "Beginner's Tech Manual" filled with model rocketry data to get you started off right. (Ship, wr.

> STESTES ) Challenger.

Flying Model Rockets Starter Kit

Recommended Engines: B6-4

Cat. No. 1416

ONLY

\$9.95

(Repuires 5 or 12 volt alue-not included.)

















ELAST-OFF

HERE'S THE STARTER

KIT THAT'LL GIVE YOU

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THE SOPHISTICATED

THE SOPHISTICATED

LAUNCH SYSTEM YOU'LL

LAUNCH SYSTEM YOU'LL

LAUNCH SOR THE "BIG BIRDS"

LATER ON!

# The Perfect Model Rocketry STARTER KIT

Complete with everything you need to lift-off in minutes. (less 6-volt lantern battery and give).

Right out of the future! Here's power ... beauty... design - all fused into a neat, sleek starter kit that's easy to assemble, with no painting required,

While you'll want to use lower powered engines on your first flight, your STAR TREK rocket will take our higher powered engines, that will send it stre king skyward to over 1,000'. You'll almost hear Captain Kirk giving the orders while Spock scans the banks of instruments in preparation for return to Earth via the multi-colored 12" Recovery 'chate.

# KIT INCLUDES:

- 1. Star Trek rocket that requires no painting with easyto-assemble engine mount.
- 2. Fin unit of brightly colored plastic.
- 3. Decais of vellow and red for body and fins that simply press-on.
- 4. Nose Cone of rugged plastic,
- 5. Recovery Parachute Assembly that features spectacular 12" orange-andwhite striped 'chute, shroud lines and shock cord, plus all mounting materials.
- 6. STAR TREK Launch Control System, futuristically designed to include launch button, safety inter lock key, special arming lamp for testing circuitry. lightweight launch cable and micro-igniter clips.
- 7. Launch Rod 36" tall x 1/8" diameter to quarantee a straight, true lift-off every time.
- 8. Mini-Blast Deflector to protect your launch system at blast-off.
- 9. Power Cap of highimpact plastic fits easily on 6 or 12-volt lantern battery to serve as combination power source and launch pad (6 or 12 volt lantern battery and glue not included with kitl. Shipping wt, 1 lb, 2 oz,

STAR TREK FLYING MODEL ROCKETRY STARTER KIT Cat. No. 1418 ONLY ST

10. Three NAR Safety-Certified Rocket Engines for your first three flights

Ready-To-Launch In Less Than to send your STAR TREK 30 Minutes rocket hundreds of feet into the sky. Later you can use more powerful engines Recommended Engines: to achieve heights over 1/2A6-2 1,000 feet! A8-3 (first flight) 11. Recovery Wadding to B4-4 B6-4 C6-5 protect 'chute assembly from effects of rocket blast. 12. Astron igniters for reliable rocker Ignition every time. 13. Beginners Tech Manual, chock full of model rocketry information.

EASY-TO-

**ASSEMBLE** 

STARTER KIT

The perfect beginner's outfit for father and son. Be ready to launch your X-15 Rocket Plane in less than 15 minutes. Features all plastic snap-together construction for easy, quick assembly.

Ready-to-fly X-15 Rocket Plane comes with preassembled 10" parachute, authentic scale decor, and easy-lock engine mount. It looks like the real thing!

Portable futuristic launch control system is ruggedly designed to provide launch-after launch enjoyment. Advanced launch controller is designed for easy-grip hand held control with safety interlock key and launch control button. Realistic launch pad features 24" two-piece launch rod, pre-soldered micro-clips, mini-blast deflector, and sturdy girder construction. The entire system is pre-wired. (Requires four AA size alkaline penlight batteries for operation.)

X-15 Flight Pack includes 3 NAR Safety Certified A3-4T mini engines, parachute recovery wadding, and Estes high reliability Solar Igniters.

Special Bonus: Model Rocketry Tech Manual is also provided to get you started off right, Ship, wt. 2 lbs, 8 oz. Cat. No. 0715

Ready-to-launch







# Get the most out of model rocketry.... Join the ESTES AEROSPACE CLUB today!

The most exciting hobby on Earth is even more fun when you are a member of the most exciting rocket club on Earth — The Estes Aerospace Club.

As soon as you join, you'll receive your own special EAC membership kit which includes the following exciting items:

VIPER ROCKET — Special kit designed exclusively for members of the Ester Aurospace Club. Features sleck styling, parachute recovery and Mini Eruti power for maximum high performance.

MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE - Handsome membership certificate suitable for

CLUB EMBLEM - Of Iron on parch with EAC insignia for tee shirt or jacket.

And as you progress to Haber skill levels, you'll receive additional iron-on "thrust bars" signifying your actust versions.

DECAL SHEET — Spendal EAC rocket decals to identify your models as part of the EAC fleet.

RANGE BOX STICKERS - Bright, multipurpose stick-ons for your range equip-

EAC STATIONERY — Distinctive rocketeer stationery for your most important notes and letters.

MODEL ROCKETRY TECHNICAL MANUAL.—Includes information on construction techniques, finishing, stability, tracking, recovery systems, multi-staging, and boost gliders, plus many other subjects.

COPY OF MODEL ROCKET NEWS — Features free plan designs, technical articles, contoons, contests, construction hints, rocketest contributions, special projects, and much, much more.

EAC PRODUCTS BULLETIN — Special club flier featuring outstanding offers for EAC kits, parts and accessories, rocket plans and technical publications which me available ONLY to members.

Membership in the Estes Aerospace Club opens up a whole new world of receiting model rocket activities. Your EAC Membership Kit is just the beginning.

You'll be eligible to participate in special projects and excuring contests open only to EAC members — many of them involving valuable prime. As an official EAC club member you will be eligible for exclusive lots and project offers. You'll have the opportunity to be selected as a member of the EAC divisory Board which will suggest an official relation of the EAC divisory Board which will suggest an official relation.





# Alpha III Skill Level 1

Another great first or second kit. Plastic nose cone and finassembly make for easy, quick assembly. This rocket will deliver outstanding performance flight after flight. Roll pattern decal, quickrelease engine mount and 12" parachute are features. Specifications

Length 12.25" (31.1cm) Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm)

Weight 1.2 az.(33.9 g) Shipping wt. 10 oz. Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First Flight) B4-4 B6-4 CG-5

Cat. No. 1256 \$3.00

Sky Hook

An excellent kit for your second rocket.

Easy-to-build with 12" parachute recov-

12" (30.5cm)

0.7 oz. (20 g)

0.765" (19.4mm)

ery, Terrific performance Hight after

flight.

Length Diameter

Weight

Specifications

Shipping wt. 5 oz.

Recommended Engines

B6-6 B4-4 C6-7

1/2A6-2 (First Flight) AB-3

Cat. No. 1208 . . . . . . . . \$2.50

Skill Level 1

# SCOUT Estes Industries'

Originally developed in 1959, the Scout is still a super popular kit among rocketeers. Now our most historic rocket, it is sure to become a real collector's item. Teaches you elementary balance and design principles. Steek lines and tumble recovery for really exciting fliches. Pat. No. 3,114,317

Specifications Length 7" (17.8cm) Diameter 0.765" (19.4mm) Weight 0,3 oz. (9 g) Ship. wt. 2 oz. Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 (First Flight)

Cat. No. 1201 . . . \$1.75

A8-3 B6-4 C6-5

Decals not

Skill Level 1

Lightweight (1/8 oz. without engine) with windcheating design, Great for contests and records. Features simple feather-weight recovery.

Specifications

5.6" (14.2cm) 0.720" (18.3mm) Length Diameter Weight 0.1 oz. [3 a] Shipping wt. 4 oz. Recommended Engines 1/2A6-4 (First Flight) A8-5

B6-6 C6-7

Engines, Launch System, and Glue not included.

# SKILL LEVEL 1

# Mark II

Skill Level 1
Ideal for sport or demonstration flying. Designed for
midbody ejection/separation
system with streamer recovery, it's an excellent challenge for the novice rocketeer.
Top-notch performance
every time.
Specifications
Length 9.1" (23.1cm)
Diameter 0.765" (19.4cm)
Weight 0.7 oz. (20 g)
Shipping wt. 5 oz.
Recommended Engines

1/2A6-2 (First flight)

A8-3 86-4 C6-5

Cat. No. 1202 ... \$2.50



# X-RAY

Skill Level 1
Perfect for your first payloader or second kit. Features large see-through payload/ cargo section. Perfect for research work of all kinds. The recommended single-stage payload vehicle for small biological projects. 12" parachute recovery.

Specifications
Length 16.75" (42.5cm)
Diameter 0.736" (18.7mm)
Payload Sec. Dia. 0.976" (24.8mm)
Weight 0.7 oz. (20 g)
Shipping wt. 5 oz.
Recommended Engines
1/246.2 A8.3 (First (light)

1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First flight) B6-4 B14-5 C6-5 Cst. No. 1218 ..... \$4.00 QUASAR

Skill Level 1
Dramatic, easy-to-build model for beginners. Bright white plastic nose cone and fin assembly. Metallized-preprinted mylar wrap-on decal for the body tube. No painting required Quick-release engine mount and recovery by 12" plastic parachute.

Spacifications
Length 14" (35,5cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24,8mm)
Weight 1.5 oz. (42 g)
Shipping wt. 10 oz.
Recommended Engines
1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First
flight) A8-5 B4-4
B6-4 C6-5
Cat. No. 0650 . \$4,00

ANTARES

Skill Level 1
Achleve flights over 1200 feet with this high performance sports model. Kit features include fin and roll pattern decals plus 10" parachute recovery. Easy assembly with plastic nose cone, die-cut balsa parts, and quick-release engine mount.

Specifications
Length 14.6" (37.1cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm)
Weight 0.77 oz. (22 g)
Shipping wt. 5 oz.
Recommended Engines
1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First
flight) A8-5 B4-4
B6-4 C6-5
Cat. No. 1276
\$3.50

SCAMP

Skill Level 1

Great sports flier with steek, high performance design. Features 12" parachute recovery with roll pattern and fin decals. Easy-to-assemble with die-cut balsa parts, plastic nose cone and quick-release engine mount.

Specifications

Length 13.75" (34,9cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24,8mm)
Weight 0.8 oz. (23 g)
Shipping wt. 5 oz.

Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 (First flight) A8-3 B6-4 C6-5 Cat. No. 1286 \$3.50

ICARUS

Skill Level 1
High altitude payload vehicle
with see-through cargo section
Achieve flights of over 1,000
feet with lightweight payload.
Simulated sounding rocket
appearance with dual roll
pattern decor &
12" parachute
recovery. Plastic
nose cone, diecut balsa parts,
and quick-release
engine mount are
included for rapid
assembly and easy

operation.

Specifications
Length 20.8" (52.8cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm)

Weight 1.3 oz. (37 g) Shipping wt. 5 oz. Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First Hight) 86-4 C6-5

Cat\_No. 1277 ..... \$4.00

Engines, Launch System, and Glue not included.

# SUPER mini-

# mini Bertha

Skill Level 1
A little sister to the famous
Big Bertha listed on page 14
Great performance with colorful 10" parachute recovery.
Two-color decal sheet, quickrelease engine mount, and
balsa and paper construction.

Specifications Length 11.25" (28,58cm) Diameter 0,736" (18,69mm)

Weight 0.484 oz. (13,72 g) Shipping wt, 6 oz.

Recommended Engines 1/2A3-2T (First flight) A3-4T A10-3T

Cat. No. 0803 \$2,50

# SKILL LEVEL 1

# MOSQUITO

Skill Level 1
This smallest of all Mini-Brutes combines
fantastic performance with feather weight
recovery. Balsa and paper construction
with simple spray paint decor makes for
quick and easy assembly.

Specifications
Length 3.9" (9,9cm)
Diameter 0.541" (13.74mm)
Weight 0.1 oz. (2.83 g)
Shipping wt. 4 oz.
Recommended Engines
1/4A3-2T (First flight)
1/4A3-4T 1/2A3-4T
A3-6T A10-3T
Cat. No. 0801 \$.99



Skill Level 1

Another super performer featuring spectacular streamer recovery. Screaming off the pad this bird is sure to catch the attention at your launch site. Specifications

Length 7.8" (19.81 cm) Diameter 0.541" (13.74mm) Weight 0.255 oz. (7.23 g) Shipping wt. 6 oz.

Recommended Engines 1/4A3-2T (First flight) 1/4A3-4T 1/2A3-4T A3-6T A10-3T

Cat. No. 0802 . . . . . . . . . \$2.50



2 For The Price Of 1
Super Flea & 1
Javelin Only
53.00

# Super Flea

Skill Level 1
The "Flea" has a competition design for ultra-high performance. Reaches incredible altitudes with ogive nose cone and swept fins. Easy-to-build and features breakaway drag recovery.

Specifications
Length 7.34" (18.64cm)
Diarneter 0.541" (13.74mm)
Weight 0.158 oz. (4.5-g)
Recommended Engines
1/4A3-2T (First flight) 1/2A3-2T
1/2A3-4T A3-4T A10-3T
JAVELIN & SUPER FLEA

COMBINATION Shipping wt. 6 oz. Cat. No. 0815 \$3.00

# Javelin

Skill Level 1
Super performance, easy-to-build competition design with streamer recovery. Scale-like sounding rocket appearance. Reaches altitudes over 1,000 feet.

Specifications
Length 12.4" (31.5cm)
Diameter 0.541" (13.74mm)

Diameter 0.541" (13.74mm Weight 0.34 oz. (9.6 g) Recommended Engines 1/4A3-2T (First flight) 1/2A3-2T A10-3T A3-4T

# rogue

Skill Level 1
Scale-like sounding research vehicle with realistic decar. Excellent performance for great sport flying. 10" parachute recovery and die-cut balsa parts.
Specifications.
Length 11.7" (29,7cm)

Length 11.7" (29,7cm)
Diameter 0,736" (18.7mm)
Weight 0,75 oz. (21,26 g)
Shipping wt. 6 oz.
Recommended Engines

1/4A3-2T (First flight) 1/2A3-2T A3-4T A10-3T Cst. No. 0818 . . . . \$2.50

# JOHN

Skill Level 1
Authentic appearance of a semi-scale surface-to-surface

military vehicle with U.S. Army decor. Die-cut fins, quickrelease engine mount and bright 10" parachute recovery.

Specifications
Langth 14.0" (35,6cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24,81mm)
Weight 0.875 oz. (21.2 g)
Shipping wt, 6 oz.
Recommended Engines

1/2A3-2T (First flight) A3-4T A10-3T Car. No. 0819 \$3,00



# SIPER BRUTES SKILL LEVEL 3 CONDOR Skill Level 3 Designed by Estes engineers

Skill Level 3
Designed by Estes engineers as a futuristic orbital booster with recoverable shuttle for near-Earth missions, this exotic sports model will be an exciting addition to your model rocketry collection. Shuttle-like parasite glider gives flights up to 90 sec. while realistic booster is recovered via 12" parachute. Economically mini-engine powered, the Condor features

great ooking diests, dir cut baks fin , quiet, misser eneine mount, and moless plastic ness cure.

Specifications
Booster Length 18.25" (46.4cm)
Booster Diameter 0,976" (24.8cm)
Waight (Booster WGlider)

1.0 oz. (28.3 g) Slider Wing Span 5.0" (12.7cm) Shapping wt. 12 oz.

Recommended Engines
1/2A3-2T (First Flight) A3-2T A3-4T

Cat. No. 0807 ..... \$4.00

# Wolverine

Skill Level 3

Futuristic Bussian hypersonic interceptor designed for near-space missions Ramjet nose cone and cockpit canopy 10" parachute recovery with two-color Bussian de-

cals.
Specifications
Length 11,25" (28.6cm)
Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm)
Weight 0.875 oz. (24.8 g)
Shipping wt. 5-oz.

# BOMARC

Skill Level 3
Scale model of famous surface-to-air interceptor missile. Authentic Canadian Air Force decor
Features die-cut fins, quick-release engine mount, and 10" parachute recovery

Wing Span 4.5" (11.43cm) Shipping Wt. 5 oz.



# SKILL LEVEL 2

# "D" POWERED BIRDS

Using our mighty "D" engines these kits offer the ultimate in power and performance. Perfect for high altitude research and many payload experiments. All kits come complete ready-to-assemble with instructions. Engines not included.

# A-20 DEMON

Skill Level 2 Super performing payload carrier with sounding research vehicle appearance. Bright silver easy-track foil press-on decal for payload section. Allows for accurate in-flight tracking and recovery. Quick-release engine mount, sleek die-cut fins and 18"

> parachute. Specifications

Length 26.5" (67.3cm) Diameter 1 325" (33.6mm)
Weight 2.75 oz (78 a)
Shipping wt. 12.5 oz. Recommended Engines D12-7 Also:

> B6-4 B14-5 C6-5 (Using EM-2050 Adapter not included.) Cat. No. 1258 . . . \$7,00

# CHEROKEE-D

Skill Level 2 Sleek and powerful "D" ungine rocker that will price tcally sail out-of sight Big 13" 'chute brings it down safely quick-release engine mount and harp two-color decais. A really heautiful model for your first "D" powered kit

Specifications

21.6" [54.9cm] 1.325" (33.7mm) Diameter 2.75 oz (78 g) Shipping wt. 11 pz. Recommended Engines

D12-5 (Fust flight) D12-7 Cat. No. 1247 . . . . . . . . . . . \$5.00

renegade

Skill Level 2

Spectacular, ultra-high performance "D" bird over 33" long, R&D style design gives it a real test vehicle appearance. Low-drag styling and giant 18" 'chute means an outstanding flight every time. Contemporary decals, quick-release engine mount and die-cut fins

Specifications

Length 33.8" (85.9cm) 1.637" (41.6mm) Diameter Weight 4.6 oz. (132 g)

Shipping wt. 12 oz. Recommended Engines

D12-5 (First (light) D12-7



Flights up to 1500 feet are possible with this big "D" engine powered payloader. Great sports model with large payload section, die-cut balsa. fins and quick-release engine mount. Includes great looking kit name decal, high performance was a plastic nose cone and giant 18" parachute

Specifications

Length 32.75" (83.2cm) Diameter 1,325" (33.7mm) Weight 2.39 oz. [67,8 g] Ship, wt, 11 az.

Recommended Engines

D12-5 D12-7 (First Hight)

C6-5 (with EM-2050 adapter not included. See page 62.

Cat. No. 1290 \$5,00



ARRESTS.

# SKILL LEVEL 2 **MULTI-STAGERS**

Multi-Staging is the next to p in expanding your model rocketry skills. Each kit demonstrates how real space ships operate. The first stage is always ignited electrically, Second stage ignition occurs automatically in mid-flight upon burnout of the first stage, Performance and maximum altitude are dramatically increased thrumulti-staging,

# AVENGER

Long, slender lines give this bird the sounding rocket look, Large 18" chute brings payload section back gently, booster emplays tumble recovery.

Pat. No. 3,292,302

Specifications Length 32" (81.3cm) 1.325" (33.7mm) Diameter 2.7 oz. (77 g)

Shipping wt. 16 oz. Recommended Engines

Weight

UPPER STAGE A8-5 B6-6 (First Flight) C6-7 BOOSTER

AB-0 86-0 (First Flight) B14-0 C6-0

Cat. No. 1238 .... \$5.81

# Vigilante

Skill Level 2 Ultra-high perform ance two-stage model for flights over 1100 feet. Kit features include impressive kit name decal, low drag plastic nose cone, and die-cut balsatins. Sleekly designed upper stage returns via 18" parachute while the booster employs tumble recovery.

Specifications Length 26.5" (67cm) Diameter 1,325" (33.6mm) Weight 2.25 oz. (64 a)

Shipping wt, 13 oz. Recommended Engines UPPER STAGE 1/2A6-4 A8-5 (First Flight) 84-6 B6-6 C6-7

BOOSTER AB-0 (First Flight) 86-0



# Mean Machine

Tallest rocket in the Estes fleet, Over 6 leet long with giant 24" parachute recovery "D" engine powered for spectacular flights over 800 feet. Easily assembled with die-out balsa fins, quickrelease engine mount and plastic nose cone. Huge

"kit name" decal adds the linishing touch for a really great looking bird.

78.75" (200cm) 1.637" (41.6mm) Length 5.8 of (164 g)

16 oz. Recommended Engine

D12-5

Cat No. 1295.... \$8.00





Skill Level 2

Attain flights over 700 feet with "C" engine from this extra long sport flier. Giant decal sheet plus die-cut balsa fins, quick-release engine mount and plattic hose cone. Perfect demonstration model with large 18' parachute

recovery. Specifications

59" (149.9cm) Length 1.325" (33.6mm) Diameter Weight 3.17 oz. (90 g)

Recommended Engines

A8-3 (First Hight) B4-4 B6-4 C6-5

Ship wt. 12 oz. 

Nearly 5 Feet Long!

Engines, Launch System, and Glue not included

Skill Level 2

Hitchnikes" on other larger models for glid durations of up to 30 seconds beginning at apogee. Perfect kit for your first clider with die-cut balsa parts. Impressive performance.

Specifications Length 12" (30.5cm)

Weight 0,16 pz. (4:6 a) Wing Span 4.5" (11,4cm) Shipping wt. 5 oz.

# WAC GORPORAL

Skill Level 2

A8-3 86-4 C6-5

Cat. No. 1211 ... \$3,00

Great model for your first scale bird, U.S. Army ground-to-ground ballistic and research vehicle. Lowdran design makes it a terrific sport-flier tool Accurste 1/16th scale. Die-cut fins and 12" 'chute. Specifications Length 11.8" (30cm) Diameter 0.736" (18,7mm) Weight .7 oz. (20 g) Shipping wt. 5 oz. Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 (First Flight)



(1/10th Scale)

Skill Level 2 A mighty "D" engine powered, ultra-detailed, 30' tall scale model. Actual rocket is single-stage, solid-propellant vehicle developed for upper-atmosphere research experiments. Real Sandhawk is capable of reaching a 100 mile apogee with 200 lb. payload. Gur scale version features all plastic, highly-detailed nose cone, payload section, fins and tail assembly. Quick-release engine mount plus 12" 'chute for payload and big 18" parachute for rocket. Specifications

Langth 30.1" (76.5cm) Diameter 1.325" (33.7mm) Weight 5 oz. (141.75 g) Shipping wt. 11oz. Recommended Engines

B4-2 C6-3 D12-5 (First Flight) Use EM-2050 adapter for office than "D" engines, not included. See page 60.

Cat. No. 1251 .... \$6.00

Replacement Plastic Part Kit: (SANDHAWK ONLY) Includes tail section, fine, payload section, nose cone and antennae. Cat. No. 45011 . . . . \$3.25

Sounding scale model of the primary research vehicle produced by Canadian Bristol Aerospace. An excellent choice for your first scale project. Simple construction with plastic nose cone and engine nozzle, die-cut balsa fins and quick-release engine mount. Plus authentic scale decals and 12" parachute, Flys over 1,000 feet with "C" engine.

Specifications Length 20.6" (52.3cm) Diameter .976" (24.8mm) Weight 1,05 oz. (30 g) Ship wt. 5 oz.

Recommended Engines A8-3 (First flight) B4-4 B6-4 C6-5

Cat. No. 1293 . . . . . . . \$4.00

# Skill Level 2

Equip your star fleet with this sophisticated scale missile from the 23rd century. Designed primarily as a mass conversion weapon to overload the defensive screens of an enemy vessel, the actual Photon Disruptor may also be programmed as an interceptor missile, a proximity space mine, or a space distress signal. Exact size, speed, range, and destruct radius of this vehicle are classified. Photon Disruptor uses impulse power unit and guidance system for launch from planetary surface. Kit features operational status detailing decor and comes complete with 12" parachute. Assembly and operation are made easy with plastic nose cone, die-cut balsa parts, and quick-release

angine mount Specifications Length 18,75' (46.4cm) Olimeter 0.976" (24 8mm) Weight 1 4 oz 140 gl Shipping wt. 6 oz. Recommended Engines

1/2A6-7 A8-3 (First Hight) A6-5 B4-4 B6-4 C6-5 Cat, No. 1282 \$4,00



This unique interstellar spacegraft is conceived to perform a various of space rescue, exploratory, or intruder intercept missions. Odyssey's modular configuration permits rapid pre-launch prepara tion to flight status. Impulse power unit jettisons after lift-off from planetary launch site. Its two-man crew and engineering section are then accelerated to near-light velocities for rendezvous and space rescue operations. Our designer's version includes die-cut balsa lins, 18" dia. recovery parachute and two-color rescue vehicle decor. Quick-release engine mount and

super-detailed plastic nose section complete the exotic styling of this advanced spacecraft. Specifications:

Length

24.1" [61\_2] on [ 1 325" (33.7mm) Recommended Engines

84-4 86-4 (First flight) C6-5

\$5.00







Skii Envisi sophistic by hostile nuclear and la plastic nose and realistic two-color recovery.

# Specifications

Length 22.25" (56. Diameter .0976" (24. Fin Span 5.5" (14cm) Weight 1.38 oz. (39. Ship wt. 11 oz. Recommended Engines A8-3 B4-4 (First flight)

Cat. No. 1296 . . . . . . . . .

# SOLAR SAILER



GLEAMS LIKE A JEWEL HIGH UP IN SPACE!

Skill Level 3 Simulates one of the newest, most sophisticated space concepts for the 1980's.

and like the Space Shuttle Enterprise, Estes engineers have it flying long before NASA does. Developed for low cost, long duration, deep space missions the real vehicle will use sunlight pressure to push it away from Earth at speeds up to 35,000 mph. Our model features printed balsa fins, quick release engine mount and realistic decals simulating solar panels and girder construction. Truly spectacular recovery with giant 24" solar sail 'chute.

# Specifications

Length 39" (100cm)
Diameter 976" (24,8mm)
Weight 2.8 o., (80 g)
Ship wt. 11 or
Recommended Engines

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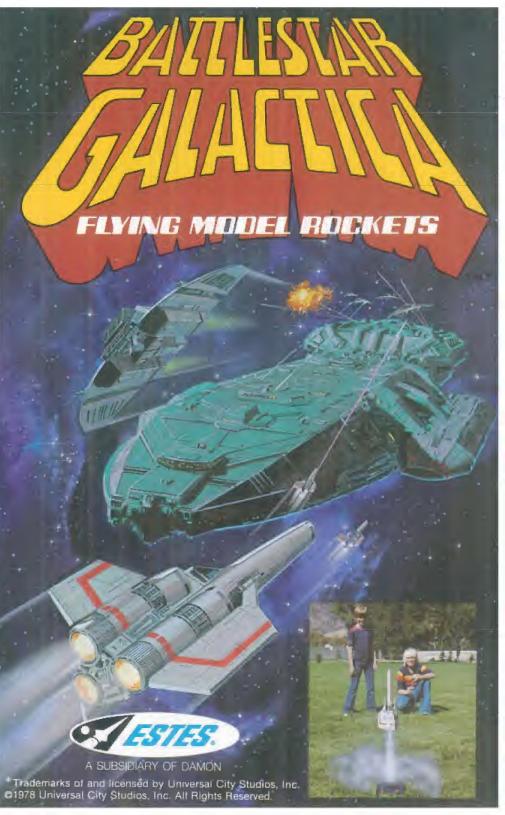
Steekly styled single-stage loader, perfect for those ar cargos. Exotic appearance, fin tip "landing shocks" gi it a real "space ship" look. Great performance for spo flying. See-through payloa section, and 12" parachute recovery. (Decals not included.) Specifications Length 16.2"

(41.4cm) Diameter 0.976\* (24.8mm)

Weight 1.0 oz. (28 g) Shipping wt.

5 oz.

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**FLYING MODEL ROCKETS** 

Skill level 2

Outstanding sport-scale model of the BATTLESTAR GALACTICA'STM.\* primary attack craft. Backbone of Colonial defenses, the Colonial Vipertial' is small, fast, and dead on target when encountering the treacherous Cylon Raiders This sensational kit is easy-to-assemble with die-cut fins, plastic nose cone, quick-release engine mount. and realistic BATTLESTAR GALACTICAT ...

> decals. Can attain altitudes over 600 feet with "C" type rocket engines. The Colonial Viperry\* deploys a 12" recovery parachute for a safe flight and gentle recovery time after time.

Specifications:

Length 11 75" (29.65 cm) Diameter 0.976" (24.81 mm) Fin span 4.625" (11.75 cm) Weight 2.01 oz (57 g) 12" Parachute

recovery Ship Wt 6 oz.

Cat No. 1310 Only \$7,00

Recommended engines: B6-4 (First flight) and C6-5

# **Model Rocketry** Flight Pak



Features three B6-4 and two C6-5 high performance rocket engines plus parachute recovery wadding and 6 Solar rocket igniters.

> Cat No. 1319 Only \$4.00

Cylon

Skill level 3 Available Spring 1979

(Please do not order at this time)

Laser Torpedo

Skill level 2

Envisioned by Estes designers to be the most powerful weapon carried aloft and deployed by the Colonial Vipertin' Especially effective against the Cylon's thermal mines placed in various forbidden stellar regions. Our Jersion features futuristically shaped nose cone, die-cut fins, quick-release engine mount, and scale-like laser weapon decals. The Laser Torpedor M\* will reach altitudes over 800 feet with "C" type rocket engine and returns to earth via 12" recovery parachute.

Awesome

scale replica

of the Cylon's

primary attack craft.

quick-release engine

parachute, and special flight probe which removes

easily for display.

Cat. No. 1313

Our model will feature

molded plastic fuselage.

mount, 2-color decal, 18"

Specifications:

Length 15" (38.1 cm) Diameter 0.976" (24.8 mm) Weight 1.06 oz. (30 g) 12" Parachute recovery Ship Wt. 6 oz.

Recommended engines:

1/2A6-2, A8-3 (First flight) A8-5 B4-4, B6-4, and C6-5 Only \$6.00 

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sport-scale Colonial Vipert u.\* and complete launch control system, plus model rocket engines, parachute recovery wadding, and Solar rocket igniters for 3 exciting flights.

Colonial Vipert M\* is an easy-to-assemble sport-scale model with die-cut fins, quick-12" parachute.

Launch Control System features futuristically designed hand-held launch controller with

plate and 1/8" x 36" two-piece launch rod.

Flight Pak includes three N.A.R safety certified model rocket engines, parachute recovery wadding, and high reliability Solar igniters.

Recommended 6 Volt Lantern Batteries: Everready.#731 / Ray-O-Vac #918 / Burgess TW-T N.E.D.A. Type #918

Recommended Engines for Colonial Vipert M.\* B6-4:or C6-5, Ship Wt. 1 lb.

Only \$16.00

# atellite Interceptor

ned by designers to be operational by 1990, this ultraated interceptor patrols near-space for possible aggression. latellites. Highly advanced defense systems include both zer armaments. Kit features include printed balsa fins, exhaust cones, quick-release engine mount, and

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No. 1235 . . . . \$3.50

\$4.00

2000, its multinational crew

Engines, Launch System, and Glue not included.

Advanced concept for NASA Space Station deaigned for either Earth or luner orbit. Envisioned as a marmed scientific laboratory assembled in space and operational by the year would be resupplied by Earth or perhaps via a lunar colony shuttlecraft. Our version features unique ring/fin stabilization, simulated solar panels and realistic docking shuttlecraft for display (removes quickly for flight). Plus dramatic 3color decal, quick-release engine mount and 12" parachute recov-Specifications Length 27,75" (70,49cm) Solar Panel 7.4" (18.80cm) Span Ring Diameter 4.0" (101.5mm) 2.19 oz. (62 g) Weight Shipping wt. 11 oz. Recommended Engines B6-4 (First Flight) C6-5 

Realistic Docking





Patrolling the distant outposts of our galaxy are super-fast starships like the USS Atlantis. This multi-mission star cruiser is designed for patrol, escort, transport, and fleet battle operations. Star flight capability is provided by two giant aft propulsion units. The unique, multi-level flight deck allows massive planet-side operations from synchronous or standard planetary orbit. In addition to superior speed and maneuverability, its powerful weaponry enables It to deal single-handedly with most alien vessels. Kit includes colorful decals, die-cut balsa fins, plastic nose cone. and quick-release engine mount. Excellent performance with impressive 12" parachute recovery for flight-afterflight enjoyment.

Specifications

Length 23.3" (59,2cm) 0.976" (24.8mm) Diameter 1.86 oz. (52.7 g) Weight Shipping wt. 11 oz.

Recommended Engines

A8-3 B4-4 B6-4 (First Flight) C6-5 

Designed for journeys to distant planets this incredible "starship of the future" will be an outstanding addition to your model rocket collection. Performing interplanetary missions within the galaxy, our engineer's conception of the actual ship features simulated hybrid fissign-ton propulsion engines, forward crew module and colorful mission decor. This beauty is over 43" long and represents a unique entry to our own Starship Fleet, Kit features include die-cut parts, highly detailed decals, and quick-release engine mount. Andromeda's flights are of course most spectacular, especially with giant 18" parachute recovery.

# Specifications

43.3" (110cm) Length 0,736" (18.7mm) Diameter 11.8" (30.1cm) Fin Span Weight 3.0 oz. (85 g) Ship wt. 11 oz. Recommended Engines B6-4 (First Flight) C6-5 Cat. No. 1273 . . . . . . . \$7.00

By computer enhancement of declassified portion of sensor readings. Estes engineers have produced a replica of the Alien Invader spacecraft. Available data indicates alien spacecraft capable of limited atmospheric operations. Precise crew complement, internal features, and weaponry not determined from sensor data. Your model includes a plastic forward command hulf, engine-engineering section, and outhoard atmospheric propulsion units. Kit is complete with die-cut balsa parts, quick-ralease engine

mount, 12" 'chute, and unusual battle insignia decals.

Specifications

20.5" (52cm) Length 0.976" (24.8mm) Diameter Weight 1.62 oz. (46 g) Shipping wt.

Recommended Engines 1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First Flight) B4-4 B6-4 C6-5

Cat. No. 1281 \$4.50

WTERCEPTOR

Skill Level 3 Futuristic version of real interplanetary interceptor. Deep space exatic design makes it the pride at any modeler. Delivers excellent performance for really sensational flights.

Dramatic 18" parachute recovery, two big sheets of four-color decais, and quickrelease engine mount. Plus all die-cut balsa parts and detailed plastic nose cone, wing

pods and tail cone. Specifications

Length 26" (66cm)

7.4" [18.8cm] Wing Span Diameter 1.325" (33.6mm)

Weight 3.85 oz. (109 q) Shipping wt.

Recommended Engines

B4-2 86-4 (First Flight) C6-5 

Replacement Plastic Parts Kit.

Includes nose cone, 2 wing pods and tail cone. 

Engines, Launch System, and Give not included.

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Skill Level 3 Employs easy pop-and-go staging method. Just insert engines, plug the stages together and you're ready-to-go! Transparent payload section for your cargo, Really sleek design for super high performance flights. Die-cut fins and deluxe four-color decals. Optional 12" or 18" parachute recovery with tumbling booster. Specifications Length 29.5" (74.9cm) Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm) Weight 2.25 oz. (64 n) Skill Level 3 Shipping wt. 11 oz. Ultimate in two stage, "D" Recommended Engines engine performance for loft-UPPER STAGE ing heavier payloads, Fea-1/2A6-4 A8-5 B6-4 tures pop-and-go staging, high B6-6 (First Hight) B14-7 performance plastic ogive nose cone, large payload section and BOOSTER A8-0 B6-0 (First flight) B14-0 C6-0 die-cut fins. Plus two-color fin decals, 18" parachute recovery Cat. No. 1246 . . . . . \$7.00 and tumbling booster. Specifications With payload section and nose cone. Length 30.5" (77.5cm) 1.637" (41.6mm) Diameter Weight 4.0 oz. (113 g) Shipping wt. Recommended Engines D12-5 (First flight) Booster: D12-0 Upper Stage: D12-7 Single Stage Flights: D12-5 







Only a gleam in the eye of NASA, but it's flying for Estes rockateers right now! Astoni hingly realistic recovery system where engine booster system returns to Earth via huge 18" multi-colored parachute, and interplanetary vehicle glides hom. Long and sleek, developed for both orbital and near-space missions. tocket with transport vehicle piggy-backed go straight up, then separate at apagea for spectacular dual recovery, includes realistic 3-color decals,

TRANSPORT SHIP

Length 23" (58.4cm) Diameter 0,976" (24.8mm) Wing Span 7.9" (20cm) 2 oz. (57 g) Weight

RE-ENTRY VEHICLE Length 8.6" (21.8cm)

0.736" (18 7mm) Diameter 5" (12.7cm) Wing Span 0.5 oz. (14 a) Weight 16 oz. Shipping wt. Recommended Engines B6-2 B6-4 (First Flight) C6-5

Cat. No. 1242 \$6,00

# HONEST JOHN

Highly detailed version of U.S. Army's surface-to-surface ballistic missile, Many small parts and authentic decals for a really good looking 1/24th scale model. Gives an excellent challenge to the experienced rocketeer. Dramatic flights with 12" parachute recovery.

Specifications

13.75" (35cm) Length Diameter 0.976" (24.8mm) Recommended Engines

Shipping wt.

1.2 oz. (34 a)

1/2A6-2 A8-3 (First Flight) B4-4 B6-4 C6-5

MARS SNOOPER II

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Length

Diameter

Looks like a real space ship. Futuristic decor, advanced styling, and simulated rough down pads gives it a real science-fiction appearance. Eye-citching flight with bir 18" parachute recovery. Includes die out parts, kill decals, and quick release enouge mount Specifications

Recommended Engine

A8-3 (First Hight) 84 2 96-1 C6-5 \$6.00

0.976" (24.8mm) 2.3 oz. [66 g) Shipping wt. 8 oz.

22.3" (56.5cm)

Skill Level 4

Accurately detailed, our flying scale cruiser has been mode fied to permit atmospheric operation. Kit includes co

curately detailed molded plastic and die-cut parts, Klingon warship insignin, quick reliable engine mount and colorful orange and white canopy 'chute.

Specifications

Length 15.1" (38.4cm) Wing Span 8,9" (22,6cm) Weight 2,5 oz. (70 g) Shipping wt, 12 oz. Recommended Engines 84-2 (First flight) B6-4 C6-5

Cat. No. 1274 \$8.00

# **ENTERPRISE**

Skill Level 4 Scaled from official STAR TREK drawings. our model starship has been modified for operations within planetary atmospheres. A parachute recovery probe attaches quickly for flight and removes easily for display. Other kit features include highly detailed molded plastic and die-cut parts, authentic decals, quick-release engine mount and 18" recovery parachute.

© 1975 Paramount Pictures Corporation Engines, Launch System, and Glue not included. Specifications

Display Length 16.8" (42.6cm) Recovery Probe Length 25.9" (65.8cm) Primary Hull Dia. 7.5" (19cm) Weight 3.8 oz. (110 g)

Shipping wt. 16 oz. Recommended Engines B6-2 (First flight) C6-3

\$9.00 Cat. No. 1275 . . . .





# Flying Rockets Over 3-Feet Tall MPXI-BRUTES!

# Alpha SKILL LEVEL 2

Glant scale version of our most popular rocket, the Alpha, Great for demonstrations with slow realistic lift-off and dramatic 24" parechate recovery. Flights up to 500 feet with "D" engine Comes with die-cut balsa fins, molded plantic nose cone, noick release engine mount and huge decats. Assembles in approximately 30 minutes. Recommended for 3/16" launch rod.

Specifications Length 33,2" (84,33cm) Diameter 2.5" (66.04mm) Weight 6.17 oz. (175 g) Ship wt 16 oz. Recommended Engine

\$9.00 Cat. No. 1291

# German V

This giant scale model is a replica of the ground-to-ground ballistic missile developed at Peenemunde before and during World War II. This 1/19th scale Maxi-Brute features "D" engine power, detailed plastic nose cone, dual 24" parachute recovery and pre-shaped fins. Nose cone fits BT-101 tube. Model requires 3/16" launch rod for best lift-off performance. This historic reproduction will be the attention-petter at your launch site, and a handsome display model for your desk or bookshelf, Historical background is also included with instructions.

Specifications Length 33.5" (85cm) Diameter 3.938" (100mm) Weight 12.5 oz (354,38 g) Shipping wt. 2 lbs. Recommended Engine

Cat No. 1267 ... \$18.95

# 1/9th scale model of the famous U.S. Army surface-to-surface, supersonic ball listic missile, one of the mainstays of the Army's atomic weapons capability. This new, highly detailed model uses a single "D" engine for power and comes with pre-shaped recourately scaled fins and molded plastic nose cone, Spectacular recovery with giant, dual 24" orange and white canopy chutes. Great for demonstrations and perfect as an impressive display model.

A 3/16" launch rod is recom-mended for best litt-off results.

**HONEST JOHN** 

Specifications Length 37" (94cm) Diameter 2.6" (66mm) Weight 14 oz. (397 g) Shipping wt. 2 lbs.

Recommended Engine 012-3 Cat. No. 1269

\$18.95

# SKILL LEVEL 3

This Maxi-Brute is a true scale model of the U.S. Army's surface-to-surface ballistic missile produced by Martin Marietta and deployed with NATO units in Europe, Our 1/10 scale model is "D" engine powered with three color decals, preshaped lins, detailed molded plastic nose cone, and dual 24" parachute recovery. A 3/16" launch rod should be used for best lift-off results. The unusual fin configuration of this model makes it one of the most unique scale models ever to be offered. Additional historical background data is also included.

Specifications Length 41" (104,14cm) Diameter 3.938" (100mm) Weight 11.5 oz. (326.03 g) Shipping wt. 2 lbs. Recommended Engine D12-3

Cat. No. 1268 \$18.95







# ESTES MODEL ROCKET ENGINES

Quality-Tested for High Performance Flights!

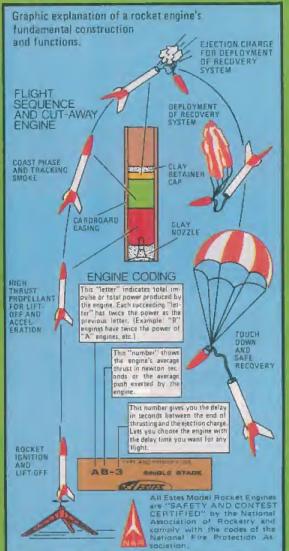
The finest engine made .... you can depend on it .... for every flight application!!!

The design and development of the Estas model rocket engine was the real beginning of the safe, educational and exciting hobby that model rocketry has become.

Today's modern rocket engine is the result of over 20 years of engineering efforts at Estes Industries. Consequently, today's rocketeer has dependable, safety proven engines for his use.

The energy-packed, solid propellant Estes model rocket engine is a complete power system for your rocket. It is designed and pre-manufactured to perform all power functions for dependable launch and activation of a recovery system. In one compact package it provides thrust for quick lift-off and acceleration to high altitudes, allows for a timed delay period to reach peak altitude while delivering a smoke trail for easy tracking and supplies ejection power for the parachute or other system for your rocket's safe return to earth.

Reliability-proven in over 135 million launchings. Extes engines are manufactured under controlled conditions within exacting tolerance limits. You can count on them for consistent performance from one launch to the next. You'll launch with confidence in all your model rocketry activities.



Educational See-Thru Rocket with Recovery System, Parachute, Wadding, Engine Mount, and Cut-Away Engine!

# PHANTOM

Perfect static demonstration model for workshops and presentations. Shows all internal components of a model rocket plus special cut-away version of C6 5 model rocket engine. Ideal for displays and exhibits.

Length 12.6" (32.0cml Body Dia. 0.976" (24.8mm) Weight 1.35 oz. (38.3 gl Shipping wt 3 oz. Cat. No. 1207 . \$3.50



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All the rockets shown in this catalog can be flown over and over again. Simply replace the engine, igniter, and recovery wadding for each new flight.



ASTRON IGNITERS: East to use for reliable ignition every time. Recommended for launch systems using 6 to 12 volt car batteries or 12 volt lantern batteries, Installation procedure featured on engine instructions. (Patent No. 3, 163, 559). Shipping weight 1 oz. Not recommended for Solar Launch Controller or Big Foot Launch Systems.

Cat. No. 2225 . . . . . 6 for \$ .70



SOLAR IGNITERS: Add increased reliability at lift-off with Estes "high performance" Solar Igniters. This uprated igniter is designed especially for the Solar Launch Controller (#2300) and Big Foot Launch Control System (#2208), Features easy engine installation and is suitable for all Estes launch control systems. Unique four-element design makes it the most dependable igniter made. Shipping weight 1 oz.

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# MIGHTY "D" ENGINES

Recommended Only for Experienced Rocketeers!

With the advancement of model rocketry to bigger birds, larger payloads, and higher altitude demands, Estes Industries has developed the "D" engine (Series IV). The Estes "D" provides twice the power of the largest Series I engine. It's the first dependable "D" engine to provide the consistent high-thrust and total impulse levels necessary for peak performance in its class,

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# UPPER STAGE ENGINES®

# **BOOSTER ENGINES**

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# RECOVERY WADDING: Prowides protection from hot ejection gases for parachutes and streamers. Each package contains approximately 75-4-1/2" squares-enough wedding for up to 25 flights, Instructions for Installation are in-

cluded in each package Shipping weight 6 oz. Cat. No. 2274

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# Astron Launch Control System

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Newly redesigned Launch Controller features futuristic design and provides greater reliability with simplified assembly. Bright grange plastic controller gives realistic ignition system appearance. Recommended for 6 or 12 volt power sources. Perfect Launch Controller for your 12 volt car battery. No need to remove battery from car, simply connect faunch system's battery clips to terminals. Features include arming lamp, safety key, launch button, battery clips, micro-clips, and 18 feet of launch cable. Shipping weight 12 oz. 



vanience. Hardwood construction for durability. Adjusts to lit uneven ground. Tilts to compensate for wind direction and speed. Legs fold down for compact storage. Comes in easy to assemble kit form with complete instructions.

Shipping weight 2 lb.

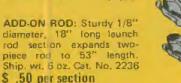
The Solar Launch Controller (#2300) or the Astron Launch Control System 1#2212) are the recommended launch systems for use with the Tilt-A Pad or Porta-Pad



# STES LAUNCH SUPPLIES



1/8" DIA. TWO-PIECE LAUNCH ROD: Handy collapsible two-piece rod for portable launchers. Pieces slip together to make a 36" long rod. Base rod has a diameter of 1/8" Shipping weight 6 oz. Cat. No. 2234 . . . . \$ .95





LAUNCH RAILS: Rigid aluminum 'C' rails offer countless possibilities for launcher designs.

'C' RAIL: 3/8" square (outside). Comes in 18" long sections. Durable aluminum for long life and rust-free service. Use at least 2 sections connected with a Joiner (see below). Ship wt. 6 oz. Cat. No. 38095 2 for \$2.25

RAIL JOINER: Spring clip 2" long by 1/4" wide, fits inside rail ends, holds two rail sections securely together. Ship wt. 2 oz. Cat No. 2252 \$ .75 each



DELUXE BLAST DEFLECTOR: Durable pressed steel plate deflects engine blast outward away from launcher.

Ship, wt. 5 oz. Cat. No. 2240 . . . . \$1.00



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MICRO-CLIPS: Equip your launcher with the best. Spring-loaded solid steel clips connect lead wires to igniters. Easy-to-clean and highly conductive with flat contact surfaces. Only 1,1 inches long, attach to leads with or without solder.

Shipping weight 1 oz. Cat. No. 2247 2 for \$ .70



BATTERY CLIPS: Hook-up to car batteries. Heavy-duty clips connect to terminals up to 1" in dia, With insulators. Ship, wt. 5 oz.

Cat. No. 2245 2 for \$1.50



NICHROME WIRE: Model rocket ignition wire, No. 30 recommended for use with car batterles, No. 32 for use with other power supplies. No. 30, 15-Foot Roll: Cat. No. 2228 . . . . \$ .85 No. 32, 15-Foot Roll: Cat. No. 2229 . . . . . \$1.00



UNIVERSAL SAFETY KEY: Replacement safety interlock key for all Estes Launch Control Systems except Ready-To-Fly kits #0701 and #0715. Cat. No. 38101 . . . \$ .35



# ASSEMBLING FIXTURE:

. Position and Glue Fins Quickly and Easily

• Fits Body Tubes up to BT-70

Designed for either 3 or 4 finned rockets

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Find out how high your rocket went with this Altiscope! Cames in kit form complete with instructions, trig tables, technical report TR-3 on altitude tracking and 2-D altitude computer. Patent No. 3,208,147. Ship. WL .so 02. Cat. No. 1415 . . . . . \$7.95





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PARACHUTE KITS: Get the best in parachute recovery! Two-color printed plastic 'chutes give maximum visibility - feature easy-to-see pattern. Lightweight, durable, and easily folded. These 'chutes are only 0,0075" thick, allowing the most material to be packed into the least body space. Each kit comes complete with 'chute material, tape strips, and shroud lines. Shipping weight 2 oz.

Cat. No.	Description	Parachute Diameter	Net Weight	Price Each
2261	PK-8	8 inches	.035 oz.	\$ .70
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2267	PK-18	18 inches	144 07	\$ .80
2271	PK-24	24 inches	298 oz:	\$1.00



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for Launch Pad Safety Ship wt. 4 oz.

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# RECOVERY SUPPLIES



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Cat. No. 2281 . . 6 for \$ .65



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body tubes.

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Have an idea for an original design? Enter our Design of the Month competition today. Your design could be published in an issue of Model Rocket News, plus win you \$75,00 in Free merchandise from this catalog. Simply follow the rules below. Keep those entries coming, and maybe you'll be our next winner!!

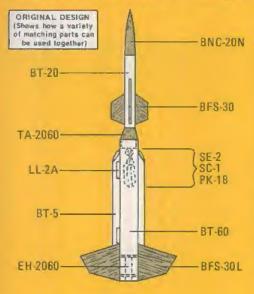
# DESIGN OF THE MONTH BULES

- 1. All entries become the property of Estes Industries and cannot be returned.
- Employees of Estes Industries and members of their immediate families are not eligible.
- 3. Any type of model rocketry design can be entered (rockets, boost-gliders, launching or recovery devices, etc.).
- 4. Designs should be new, original, and different, but they also need to be wor lable. The goal is to develop something new that other rocket eers can build and use successfully, too.
- Entries will be judged on practicality, originality, neetness, completeness, and clarity. Plans do not have to be flight to ted and proven. However, a proven design is more apt to win.
- Your design entry should include a parts list and any instructions or diagrams you feel would be helpful.
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- Photos of entries are greatly appreciated, but are not required.
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- 10. New contest every month.
- 11. All designs reaching Estes Industries during the calendar month will be entared in that month's competition. (Date of receipt, not pastmark, will determine the month in which a design will be antered.)
- 12. If two or more exceptional entries are received during any month, the judges may, at their discretion, make identical first-place awards or give additional honorable mentions.
- 13. Designs should be sent to the Design of the Month Editor, Estes Industries, Inc., Pencose, Colorado 81240. However, all plans sent to us which are not specifically addressed to another contest or department will be automatically placed in the Design of the Month Competition
- 14. Each month the designer of the winning entry will receive a certificate entitling him to \$75,00 in murchandise and an award certificate suitable for framing. Award winners will be notified by mail.

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ENTER THE DESIGN OF THE MONTH CONTEST

# **Build Your Own Design** With Estes Quality **Model Rocket Parts**



Once you have constructed several model rocket kits and have become familiar with the basic Estes Technical Reports you will no doubt have a variety of ideas for unique designs of your own. In order to select the prooer parts for your original design it is important for you to understand our system of parts description numbers.

Nearly all matching Estes parts have the same series description number. Those which do not feature an additional explanation as to where they can be used. Normally, parts listing the same series description number will be interchangeable with each other. For instance, a #20 body tube (BT-20) would mate with a #20A balsa nose cone (BNC-20A), a #20C payload section (PS-20C), or a #20B engine block (EB-20B), Further, a #2060 tube adapter (TA-2060) will adapt a BT-20 to a BT-60, and a #5055 centering ring (AR-5055) will center a BT-50 within a BT-55. By using balsa or paper adapters almost any combinetion of parts can be joined together. For ordering, be sure to use both the catalog number and the series description number (name).

# CONSTRUCTION SUPPLIES

MAXI-ROD LAUNCH LUG: 2" long fits 3/16" dia. rod. Cat. No. 2328 4 for \$ .65

LAUNCH LUGS: Superstrength laminated launch lugs feature mylar plastic core for durability, paper outer layer for easy gluing. Inside diameter 5/32", fit 1/8" rod. Ship wt. 1 oz.

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Cat. No. 2322 10 for \$ .90

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Cat. No. 32056 8 for \$ .60 1/12"x12"

Cat. No. 32058 B for \$ .60

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For Mini-Engines.

Ship wt. 1 oz.

Cat. No. 3143 3 for \$ .80

# NOSE BLOCKS



Use these top quality featherweight balsa nose blocks in payload sections and anywhere else a solld bulkhead is required. Precision turned for exact fit in body tubes.

Cat. No.	Description	Price Each	Outside Diameter	Langth	Fits	Winght Nat.	in Oz. Ship
70152	NB-20	\$ .55	.710"	3/4"	BT-20	.014	1 4 4 4
70158	NB-50	\$ .65	.950"	1"	BT-50	.040	
70162	NB-55	\$ .65	1,283"	1-1/4"	BT-55	.115	
70164	NB-60	\$ .80	1,595"	1-1/2"	BT-60	.190	



# ENGINE BLOCKS



Used for positioning the engine in the rocket. Provides a hollow bulkhead for the engine to develop thrust against, as well as an opening for gases to pass for normal ejection.

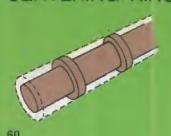
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3131	E8-20A	3/\$.50	.708"	.65"	1/4"	BT-20	.009	1

# ENGINE MOUNTS

Engine Type	Cat, No.	Description	Price	Fits	Net Weight Oz.	Shipping Weight Oz.
For Series I & II Engines – A, B, & C type 0.69"×2.75"	3150 3151 3152	EH-2050 EH-2055 EH-2060	\$ .80 \$ .80 \$ .80	BT-50 BT-55 BT-60	0.1 0.14 0.17	5 5 5
For Series IV Engines-D type 0.945" x 2.75"	3155	EM-5063	\$1.00	Saturn V	0.4	5
For T Series Mini- Engines .5" x1.75"	3153	EM-520	\$ .75	BT-20	0.09	5
Special Purpose Quick-Change Conversion Mount —From Series IV Engines to Series I & II Engines	3154	EM-2050	\$ .85	BT-50	0.19	5



# CENTERING RINGS



# AR-2050 CENTERING RINGS

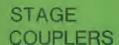
# AR-5055 CENTERING RINGS

# BALSA ADAPTERS



Adapters give (lexibility for rocket design. Switch from one size body tube to another for payload capsules, parachute compartments, propulsion sections, etc. Adapters fitting 8T-20 can be built-up with masking tape to fit 8T-30. Any adapter can be hollowed to make a passage for ejection gases. All adapters have at least 1/2" mating surface on each and.

Cat. No.	Description	Price Each	Mates Tubes	Length	Taper Length	Weight Net.	t Or. Ship.
8031	TA-520	\$ .70	BT-5 to BT-20	1.75"	0.75"	0,04	1 4 4 4 4 4 4
8032	TA-550	\$ .75	BT-5 to BT-50	2.2"	1.0"	0.06	
8033	TA-2055	\$ .85	BT-20 to BT-55	2.5"	1.5"	0.22	
8034	TA-2060	\$1.50	BT-20 to BT-60	3.0"	2.0"	0.20	
8035	TA-5055	\$1.00	BT-50 to BT-55	2.0"	1.0"	0.60	
8036	TA-5060	\$1.00	BT-50 to BT-60	3.0"	2.0"	0.23	
8038	TA-5560	\$1.00	BT-55 to BT-60	2.2"	1.0"	0.25	
8039	TA-6070	\$1.75	BT-60 to BT-70	2.7"	1.5"	0.65	





For multi-staging, joining body tubes, positioning adapter rings, etc. Make perfect guides for cutting body tubes and sanding cut edges of body tubes, too. Shipping weight for all is 3 oz. each.

Cat. No.	Description	Price Each	Outside Diameter	Inside Diameter	Longth Fits	Average Weight
3050 3051 3052 3053 3054 3055	JT-5C JT-20C JT-50C JT-55C JT-60C JT-70A	\$ .40 \$ .45 \$ .45 \$ .45 \$ .70	.513" .708" .949" 1.28" 1.59" 2.175"	,455" ,650" ,920" 1,25" 1,55" 2,115"	3/4" BT-5 3/4" BT-20 1" BT-50 1,3" BT-55 1-1/2" BT-60 1-1/4" BT-70	.020 oz. .027 oz. .051 oz. .088 oz. .124 oz. .140 oz.

# PAPER ADAPTERS

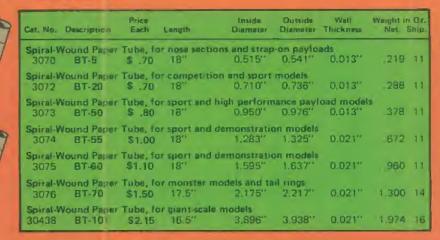


RA-2060 RINGS — 10 rings for centering and mounting BT-20 in BT-60; Shipping weight 2 oz.

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# **BODY TUBES**



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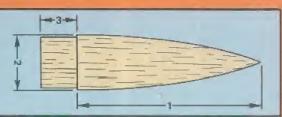
Cat. No. 2950 Only \$5.95



# NOSE CONES

Nose cone dimensions listed in columns 1, 2, and 3.

In "Description" column BNC stands for balsa nose cone and PNC for plastic nose cone.



Shape	No.	Cat. No.	Description	Price Ench	1 Di	mensions 2	3	Average Weight	Ship. Weight
BT-5	1 2 3 4	8002 8000 8001 8003	BNC-5V BNC-5E BNC-5S BNC-5W	\$ .65 \$ .65 \$ .65 \$ .80	3/4" 1-3/8" 1-1/2" 2-7/8"	0.541" 0.541" 0.541" 0.541"	1/4" 1/4" 1/4" 1/4"	0.013 oz. 0.020 oz. 0.016 oz. 0.039 oz.	1 oz 1 oz 1 oz 2 oz
8T-20 7 8 5 6 1 1 1	5 6 7 8	8004 8005 8007 8006	BNC-20A BNC-20B BNC-20B BNC-20N	\$ .55 \$ .70 \$ .80 \$ .85	13/16"/ 1-11/16" 2-3/4" 2-3/4"	0,736" 0,736" 0,736" 0,736"	1/4" 5/16" 3/8" 1/2"	0.03 oz. 0.05 oz. 0.07 oz. 0.08 oz.	1 oz 1 oz 2 oz 2 oz,
9 10 11 12 9 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	9 10 10 11 12 12	8008 8009 71008 8010 8011 71009	BNC-50J BNC-50K PNC-50K BNC-50X BNC-50Y PNC-50Y	\$ .80 \$ .90 \$ .75 \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.10	1-3/8" 2-3/4" 2-3/4" 3-1/4" 4-3/8" 4-3/8"	0.976" 0.976" 0.976" 0.976" 0.976" 0.976"	1/2" 1/2" 1/2" 1/2" 3/8" 3/8"	0.08 oz. 0.13 oz. 0.13 oz. 0.15 oz. 0.16 oz. 0.16 oz.	4 oz 4 oz 6 oz
BT-55	13 14 15 16	8012 8014 71070 71075	8NC-55AA BNC-55F PNC-55AC PNC-55AO	\$1.10 \$1.50 \$1.25 \$1.25	3-1/8" 3-7/8" 5-3/8" 5"	1.325" 1.325" 1.325" 1.325"	1/2" 1/2" 3/8" 3/4"	0.15 oz. 0.19 oz. 0.32 oz. 0.43 oz.	4 oz 4 oz 6 oz. 4 oz
BT-60 18	17	8020 8021	PNC-60AH	\$1.25 \$2.50	3 1/8" : 6-5/8"	1.637" 1.637"	5/8'' 7/6''	0.34 oz. 1,0 oz.	4 pr 6 qr
BT-70 19	19	8019	BNC-70AJ	\$2.75	4-1/4"	2.217"	3"	0.85 oz.	6 ពត

# FIN STOCK

Top quality balsa sheeting for making tins for model rockets. For maximum strength, grain of wood should follow the leading edge of fin. Read FINS in Vol. 3, No. 3 of the MODEL ROCKET NEWS for more information.



Cat. No.	Description	Price	Dimensions (In Inches)	Weight in Oz. Net. Ship.	Major Use		
32102	BFS-20	3 for \$ .70	1/16x3x9	.130 4	High Performance		
32106	BFS-20L	3 for \$ .85	1/16x3x12	.173 6	High Performance		
32108	BFS-30	3 for \$ .75	3/32x3x9	.150 4	Sport Models		
32110	BFS-30L	3 for \$ .90	3/32x3x12	.200 6	Sport Models		
32116	BFS-40	3 for \$ .85	1/8x3x9	.200 4	Cluster Rockets		
32118	BFS-40L	3 for \$ .95	1/8x3x12	.265 6	Glider Wings		

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SAFETY COD

 Construction — My model rockets will be made of lightweight materials such as paper, wood, plastic and rubber, without any metal as structural parts.

- Engines I will use only pre-loaded factory made model rocket engines in the manner recommended by the manufacturer. I will not change in any way nor attempt to reload these engines.
- Recovery I will always use a recovery system in my model rockets that will return them safely to the ground so that they may be flown again.
- Weight Limits My model rocket will weigh no more than 453 grams (16 ozs.) at lift-off, and the engines will contain no more than 113 grams (4 ozs.) of propellant.
- Stability I will check the stability of my model rockets before their first flight, except when launching models of already proven stability.
- 6. Launching System. The system I use to launch my model rockets must be remotely controlled and electrically operated, and will contain a switch that will return to "off" when released. I will remain at least 10 feet away from any rocket that is being launched.
- Launch Safety I will not let anyone approach a model rocket on a launcher until I
  have made sure that either the safety interlock key has been removed or the battery
  has been disconnected from my launcher.
- Flying Conditions I will not launch my model rocket in high winds, near buildings, power lines, tall trees, low flying aircraft, or under any conditions which might be dangerous to people or property.
- Launch Area My model rockets will always be launched from a cleared area, free of any easy to burn materials, and I will only use non-flammable recovery wadding in my rockets.
- 10. Jet Deflector My launcher will have a jet deflector device to prevent the engine exhaust from hitting the ground directly.
- 11. Launch Rod To prevent accidental eye injury I will always place the launcher so the end of the rod is above eye level or cap the end of the rod with my hand when approaching it. I will never place my head or body over the launching rod. When my launcher is not in use I will always store it so that the launch rod is not in an upright position.
- Power Lines I will never attempt to recover my rocket from power lines or other dangerous places.
- 13. Launch Targets & Angle I will not launch rockets so their flight path will carry them against targets on the ground, and will never use an explosive warhead nor a payload that is intended to be flammable. My launching device will always be pointed within 30 degrees of vertical.
- 14. Pre-Launch Test When conducting research activities with unproven designs or methods, I will, when possible, determine their reliability through pre-launch tests. I will conduct launchings of unproven designs in complete isolation from persons not participating in the actual launching.

As a member of the Estes Model Rocketry Program, I promise to faithfully follow all rules of safe conduct as established in the above code.

Signed

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